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SUBJECT: BULGARIAN OVERFLIGHT

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1. BULGARIAN REGULATIONS REQUIRE THAT REQUESTS FOR PERMITS FOR ALL PRIVATELY OWNED AIRCRAFT AND NON-SCHEDULED COMMERCIAL AIRCRAFT MUST BE SUBMITTED THROUGH AMEMBASSY SOFIA. FOR DETAILS SEE INTERNATIONAL FLIGHT INFORMATION MANUAL. IN PAST, BULGARIAN AUTHORITIES HAVE BEEN SOMEWHAT FLEXIBLE IN ACCEPTING SUCH REQUESTS THROUGH CIVIL AIR CHANNELS, BUT HAVE APPARENTLY RECENTLY TIGHTENED UP ENFORCEMENT OF THIS REGULATION. BULGARIAN REGULATIONS FURTHER REQUIRE THAT REQUESTS FOR OVERFLIGHT BE SUBMITTED BY EMBASSY TO FOREIGN MINISTRY AT LEAST SEVEN WORKING DAYS PRIOR TO COMMENCEMENT OF FLIGHT.

2. PLEASE ADVISE SEABOARD WORLD AIRLINES AND ANY OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES THAT REQUESTS FOR OVERFLIGHT SHOULD BE SUBMITTED BY TELEX TO AMEMBASSY SOFIA IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE FORMAT SET FORTH IN THE INTERNATIONAL FLIGHT INFORMATION MANUAL.

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3. REGRET THAT WE WILL BE UNABLE TO HELP SEABOARD WORLD

AIRLINES WITH THEIR CURRENT PROBLEM. AMCONSUL FRANKFURT ADVISE
TO REROUTE OR RESCHEDULE AS APPROPRIATE.
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